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CONVICTED VIOLENT FELON SENTENCED TO 24 MONTHS IN FEDERAL PRISON FOR VIOLATING HIS FEDERAL SUPERVISION

TUCSON – Earl Snyder, 50, of Tucson, was sentenced here to the maximum term of 24 months imprisonment by Chief U.S. District Judge John M. Roll on June 7. Snyder had admitted on March 12 that he violated his conditions of supervised release when he was convicted of multiple assaults.

On August 16, 2000, Earl Snyder was sentenced to a term of 14 months imprisonment following his conviction for Escape from Custody while serving a sentence imposed for Conveyance of a Weapon. Snyder's 14 months imprisonment term was to be followed by a three year term of supervised release. The supervised release term commenced on June 1, 2001, upon his release from prison. While under federal supervision, Snyder was convicted in state court of the following: domestic violence and threats/intimidation in Pima County Justice Court on July 25, 2005; domestic violence/assault in Tucson City Court on January 13, 2003; and three counts of assault on corrections officers in Pima County Superior Court on May 16, 2003. Snyder also has two prior second degree murder convictions in 1974 and 1977. A petition to revoke his supervised release was filed in November 2002, and a warrant was issued for his arrest at that time. Following his release from state custody, Snyder made his initial appearance in Federal Court on the petition to revoke.

The prosecution was handled by Sandra M. Hansen, Assistant U.S. Attorney, District of Arizona, Tucson.

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